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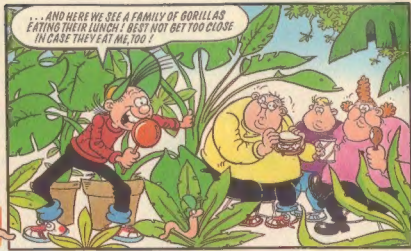
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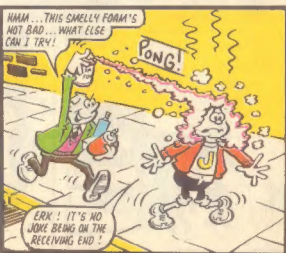
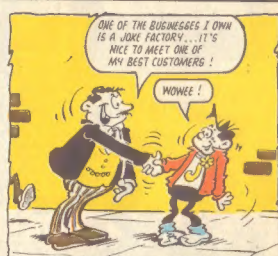
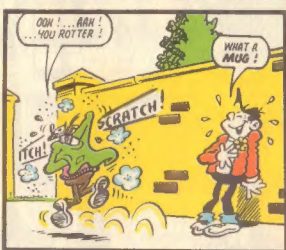
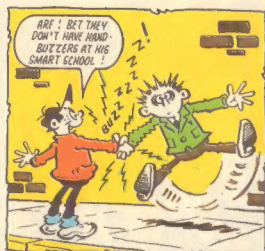
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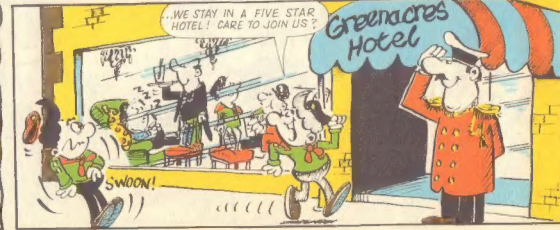
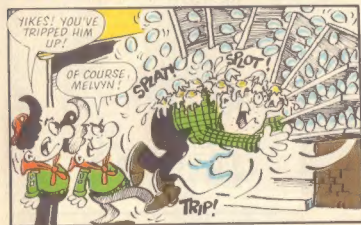
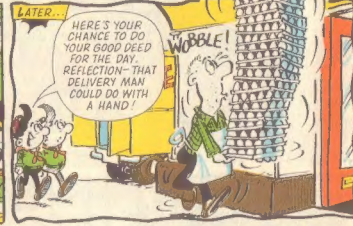
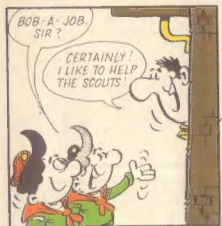
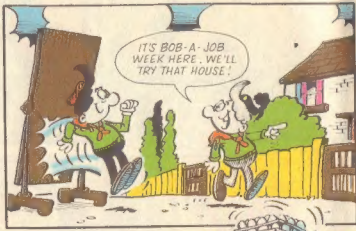


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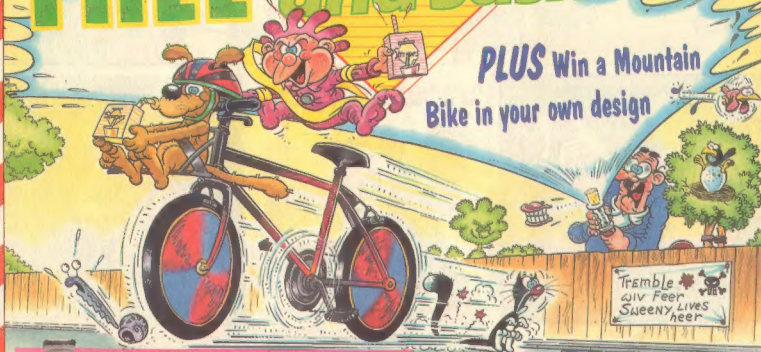


GET YOUR STRIPES



FREE Arm Bands and Sash

PLUS Win a Mountain Bike in your own design



WE'RE GIVING AWAY a great reflective Arm Bands and Sash set **FREE**. Just collect **15 STRIPES** proofs of purchase – either the 'STRIPES' token from carton tops of our amazing Strawberry, Banana or Chocolate flavours or labels from the 500ml plastic bottles. Then we'll send you the dazzling yellow Arm Bands and Sash with their own fluorescent strip that will make sure you get noticed. To get you started we've printed a token in the application form below.

POST TO EXPRESS DAIRY STRIPES OFFER, 191/195 SOUTHAMPTON WAY, LONDON SE8 7EE.

ARM BANDS & SASH APPLICATION

Please send me my free Arm Bands & Sash set – I enclose 15 STRIPES proofs of purchase.

NAME (STATE MASTER/MISS) _____

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Post your application to Express Dairy STRIPES offer, 191/195 Southampton Way, London SE8 7EE. Offer closes 31st August 1992. Please allow 28 days for delivery. Promoter is Express Dairy Ltd., Victoria Road, South Rulip, Middlesex, HA4 0HE.

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Design your own paint job, and if you're one of the two winners we're looking for you could be riding around on a unique **FALCON MOUNTAIN BIKE**.

All you have to do is send a picture of your design to the address on the **STRIPES** Design Competition Entry Form along with the completed form. Add one **STRIPES** proof of purchase – and you're in with a chance of winning the bike of your life.

POST TO MK2 STRIPES DESIGN COMP, 9 FREE TRADE WHARF, 350 THE HIGHWAY, LONDON E1 9HU.

There's never been a better time to earn your STRIPES!

Rules: 1 – The competition is open to all UK residents under 18 years of age except employees of Express Dairy Ltd, their families or any company connected with this competition. 2 – All entries must be on the form. Closing date for this competition is 31st August 1992. Damaged, delayed or illegible entries will be disqualified. Proof of posting will not be accepted as proof of delivery. 3 – The winners will be the persons who, in the judges opinion, produce the most original paint design. No correspondence will be entered into. 4 – The cash equivalent is available. 5 – Prize winners will be notified by post. The winning submissions and names and addresses of the prize winners will be made available after 28 August to anyone applying to the competition address enclosing a stamped addressed envelope marked 'Result'. 6 – It is a condition of entry that the rules of the competition are accepted as final, and that competitors agree to abide by the rules. 7 – We regret that design entries cannot be returned.

STRIPES DESIGN COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

Please accept my entry in to the STRIPES Win A Falcon Mountain Bike competition. I enclose one proof of purchase from a STRIPES carton or bottle (not the token on this page).

NAME (STATE MASTER/MISS) _____

ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____

TEL NO _____

AGE _____

Send this entry with your design to: MK2, STRIPES Design Competition, 9 Free Trade Wharf, 350 The Highway, London E1 9HU.

Loony Limerics

THERE WAS A YOUNG DUFFER NAMED CLAUDE
WHO AT SCHOOL GOT SO TERRIBLY BORED —



SO HE FASHIONED A GLIDER,
INSERTED A SPIDER,



— AND FLEW IT ACROSS TO BIG MAUDE !



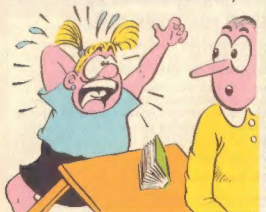
IT HIT MAUDIE'S NECK WITH A CLOUT,
AND THE SPIDER CAME TUMBLING OUT !



SHE WASN'T IMPRESSED
WHEN IT DROPPED DOWN HER VEST
AND WENT WRIGGLING & TICKLING ABOUT!



SHE LET OUT A YELL IN HER FRIGHT —
AND THE TEACHER, NOW SEEING HER PLIGHT,



QUICKLY CAME TO HER AID
(FOR SHE WASN'T AFRAID)



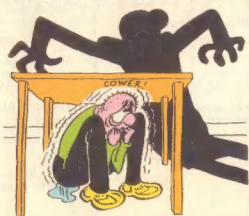
— AND REMOVED THE ARACHNID
FROM SIGHT !



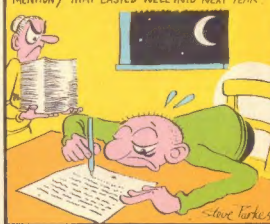
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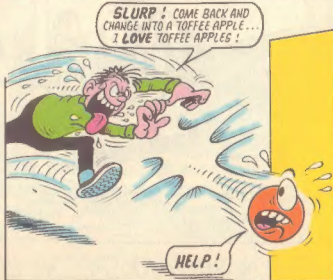
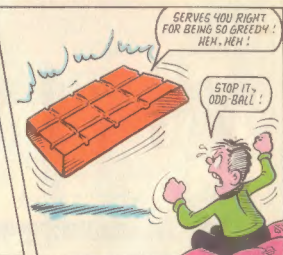
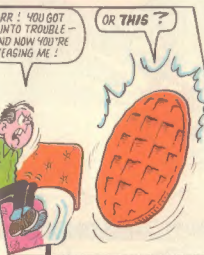
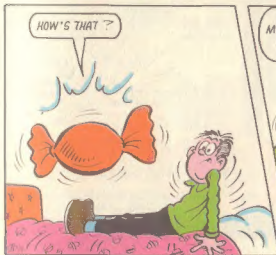
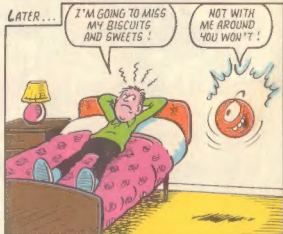
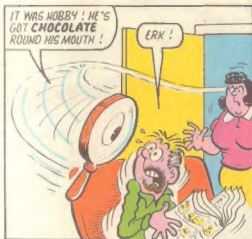
'COS HE KNEW RETRIBUTION WAS NEAR !



HE WAS GIVEN DETENTION (WE MAY AS WELL
MENTION) THAT LASTED WELL INTO NEXT YEAR !



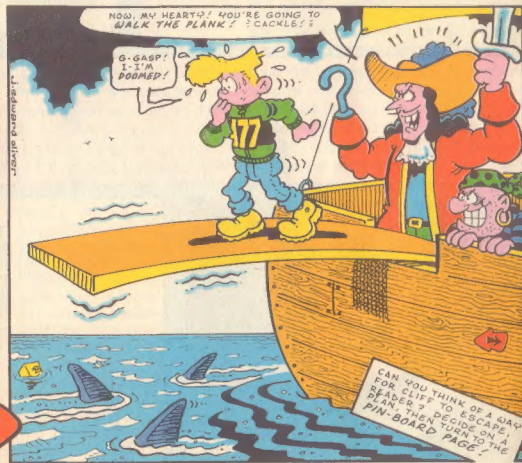
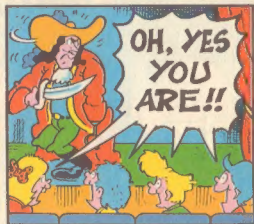
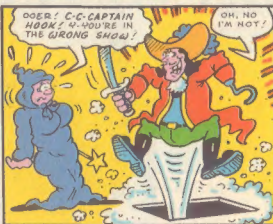
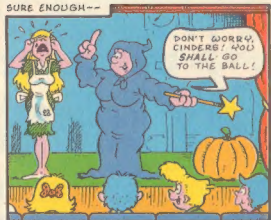
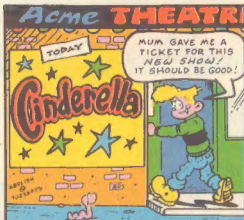
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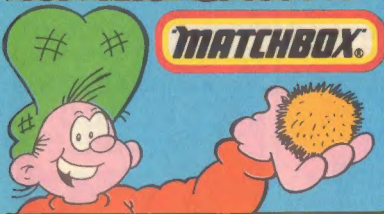
25
FIRST PRIZES

PADDLE

KOOSH™
SETS

25
RUNNERS-UP PRIZES

YO!
KOOSH™



MATCHBOX®

Remember our great **KOOSH KINS** competition last year? Well, the inventors of **KOOSH!** have come up with two new **KOOSH!** capers...**PADDLE KOOSH** and **YO KOOSH!** And we've got both up for grabs in another ace competition!



Bored with ordinary bat and ball games? **PADDLE KOOSH** is a whole new experience for the beach, garden, park or playground. The brightly-coloured bats are just like mini trampolines that can bounce the mini **KOOSH** ball over 100 feet. It's a great game suitable for the whole family. If you're feeling less energetic, then **YO KOOSH!** is just for you. It's a mini **KOOSH** ball attached to an expandable string that will zing back to your hand when thrown, in an amazing yo-yo like action. Do the 'Basic Yo' or the 'Pitch Back' - or create your own astounding tricks. Whatever you try, it'll be **FUN, FUN, FUN**.



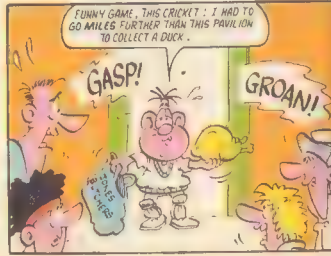
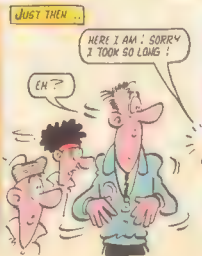
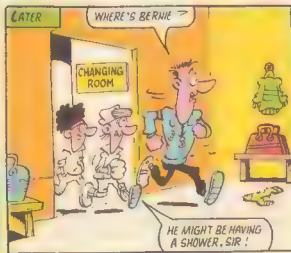
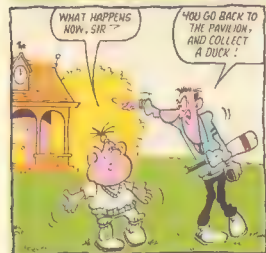
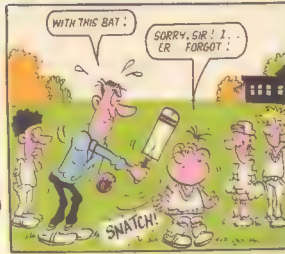
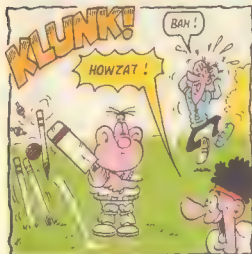
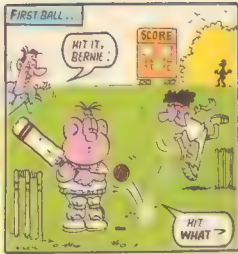
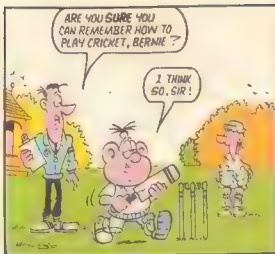
We've got **PADDLE KOOSH** sets to award to our 25 First Prize winners...and **YO KOOSH!** on offer to the 25 runners-up, and it couldn't be easier to enter. All you have to do is re-arrange the letters in the word **KOOSH** to spell another five-letter word. We'll even give you a clue...the word we're thinking of begins with 'H'. Write your answer on a postcard or the back of a sealed, empty envelope, add your own name and address, and send your entry to: **KOOSH COMPETITION, BUSTER COMIC, P.O. BOX 164, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX, CM1 3XB**. The first 25 correct entries drawn from the postbag after 17th July, which is the closing date, will win the **PADDLE KOOSH** sets. The next 25 correct entries drawn will win the **YO KOOSH!** Usual **BUSTER** competition rules apply, and the Editor's decision is final in all matters.

MORE BRILLIANT

Buster

COMPS TO COME!

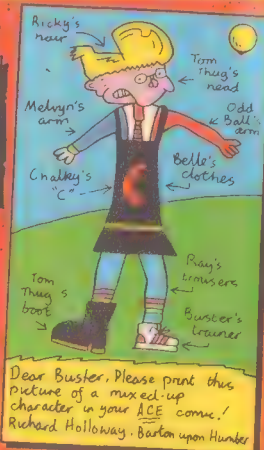
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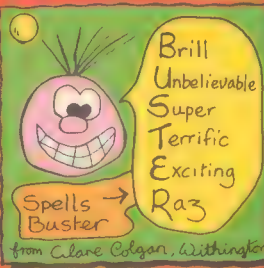
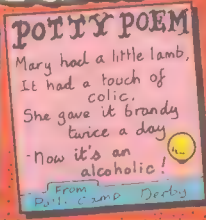
Send your drawings, rhymes, messages, puzzles, cartoons, jokes, etc. to: **BUSTER'S P.V. BOARD**, BUSTER COMIC, Fleetway Editions, PO Box 164, Chislehurst, Essex, CM1 3XB.

BUSTER'S PIN-BOARD

£2 FOR EVERY ITEM PUBLISHED!



Why did the chicken cross the playground?
To get to the other slide!
-Rebecca Famlton, OAMARU, NEW ZEALAND.



BUSTER BIRTHDAYS

PLEASE FILL IN AND SEND THIS CARD TO BUSTER

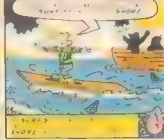
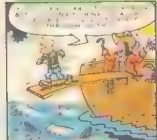
MY FAVE FEATURES IN BUSTER ARE

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MY LEAST FAVE FEATURE IS

HERE'S THE ENDING TO THIS WEEK'S CLIFF HANGER



BUSTER COMIC, FLEETWAY EDITIONS
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DEAR BUSTER

EACH LETTER PRINTED ONCE £2

KARTOON KORNER

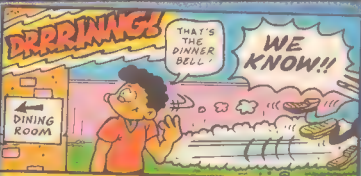


Dear Buster,
Please Kartoon my brother, Paul, because I'd love to see his face when he sees it!
-CLAIRE DOLAN, BRISTOL.

Please send me your FULL address, Claire, so I can send your £2!



Dear Buster,
Are you going to change your hat this year? Not that your present hat isn't fab!!
-ELLEN HAYNES, BAGENHAM.
...Actually, I AM thinking about up-dating my cap! Watch my head!!



Dear Buster,
In a recent issue, you asked readers to tell you about their yukky school food. Well, here's what they serve in my school over here in Malaysia!..

1. Soggy fried chicken with so much oil you could cook a whole pig!!
2. Rotten-smelling anchovies covered with a thick, black sauce (no kidding!!).
3. Cold rice with very diluted curry. Cold eggs (not boiled properly!!).
4. Ultra-hot curried beef (tastes like three-month-old pizzas).
5. Fried noodles, burnt to a crisp. Looks like burnt worms, actually!
7. Thick black gravy or watery, spicy ...er...water!
8. Green bean cakes. Enough!
9. Bitter pineapple covered with a black sauce that can cause bad breath!
10. Boxed drinks (all past their expiry dates!)

-NICHOL CHOO, PENANG, WEST MALAYSIA.
---BLECCCHRR!! I doubt whether any reader can top THAT, Nichol!

PRIZE WORDSEARCH!

£20 TO BE WON EVERY WEEK!

Can you find all the listed words in this wordsearch? Each word is in a straight line, but may be in any direction. Draw a line through each word on the grid, complete the coupon with your name and address, then cut out and send the coupon AND puzzle to: WORDSEARCH No. 30 BUSTER COMIC, P.O. BOX 164, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX, CM1 3XP, to arrive by 30th June, 1992, which is the closing date. The senders of the first four correct entries opened will each win five pounds!

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NAME _____
ADDRESS _____

DEAR BUSTER

THIS IS A VERY UNUSUAL WORDSEARCH - THE GRID CONSISTS OF TEN HORIZONTAL TEN-LETTER WORDS... BUT THESE ARE NOT THE WORDS YOU HAVE TO FIND! CAN YOU SPOT THE 20 SHORTER WORDS LISTED BELOW?



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| BUSTER | PET |
| CLIP | RACED |
| COMIC | SOAP |
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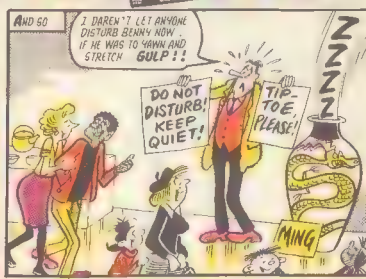
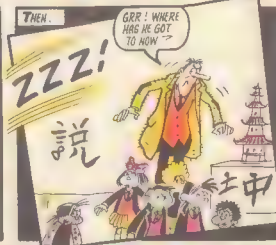
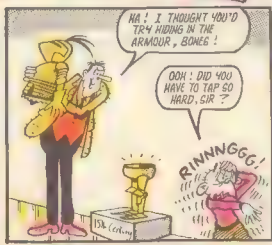
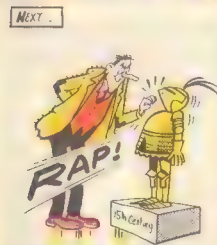
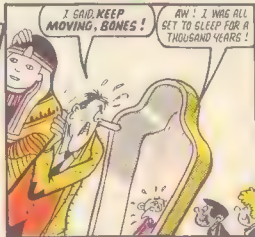
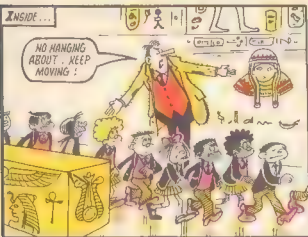
LAZY BONES

MMH THIS SHOULD BE NICE AND BORING :

MUSEUM

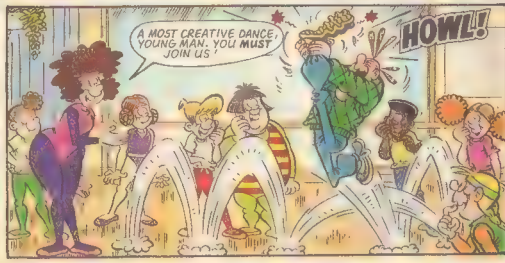
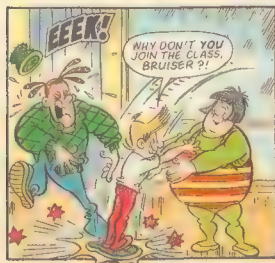
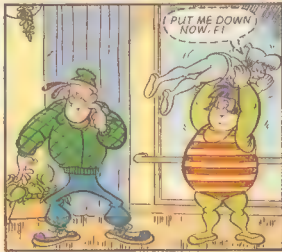
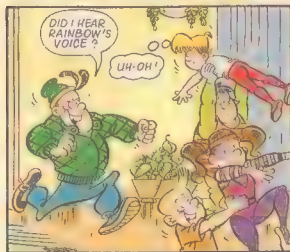
IT WILL NOT BE BORING, BONES : YOU'LL PAY ATTENTION TO EVERYTHING I SAY AND TAKE LOTS OF NOTES !

GROAN :



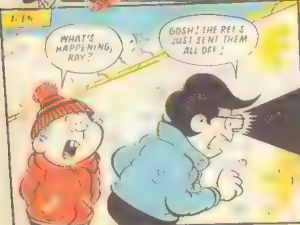
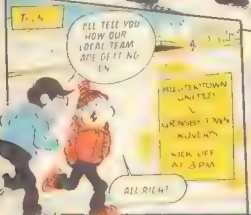
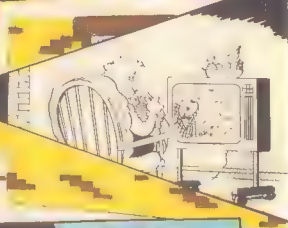
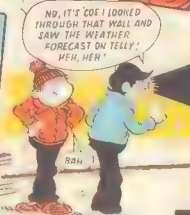
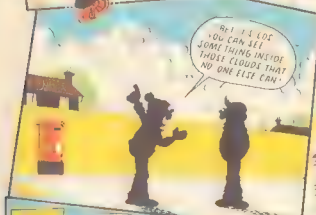
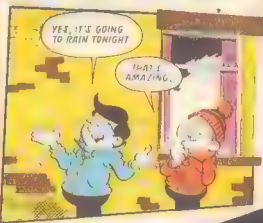
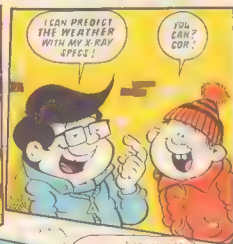
Ricky Rainbow

THE MOST COLOURFUL BOY IN THE WORLD



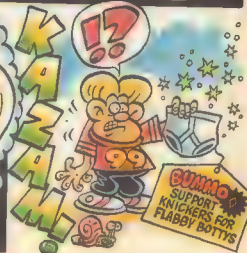
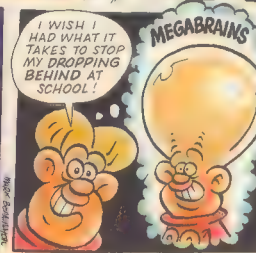


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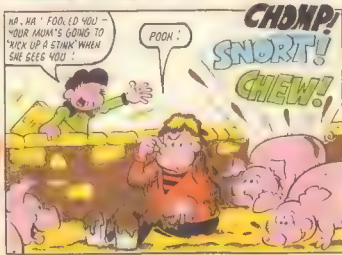
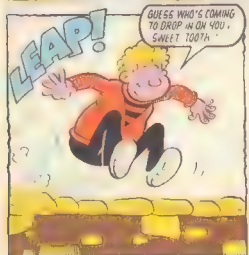
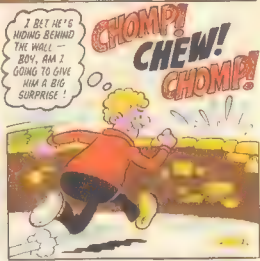
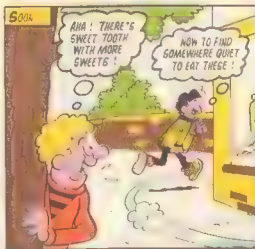
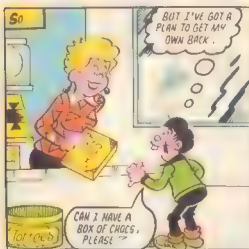
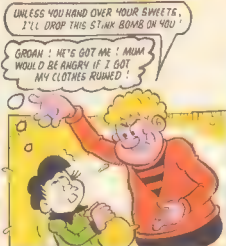
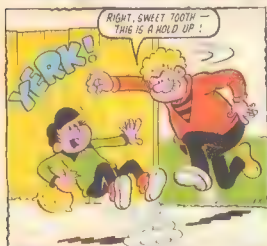
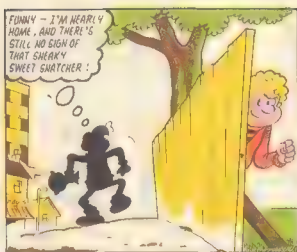
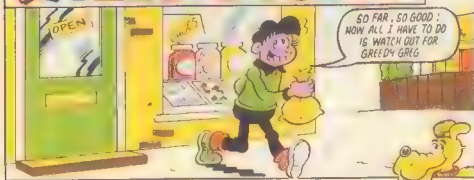




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Answer the following questions and then check your score on the special **Buster Dumbometer**. Award yourself one point for each correct answer.

1 WHAT WAS DR WILLIAM GRACE FAMOUS FOR

- A He began the custom of saying prayers before meals
- B Playing cricket
- C He discovered a vaccination against chronic flatulence



2 WHAT WAS FILM PRODUCER SAMUEL GOLDWYN'S REAL NAME

- A Samuel Goldfish
- B Samuel Goldonsky
- C Samuel Goldonsilver

NO!... CHANGE IT TO SAM GOLDFINGER...

CHIEF PRODUCER
SAM GOLDRING
GOLDMAN
GOLDPLATE
GOLDBY
GOLDBIRD



3 WHAT WAS NEIL ARMSTRONG FAMOUS FOR

- A He played baseball for the New York Yankees and holds the record for home runs
- B He invented dumbbells
- C He did the Moonwalk before Michael Jackson

4. WHAT DID FRANK WHITTLE INVENT

- A Binliners
- B My Whittle Pony
- C The jet engine

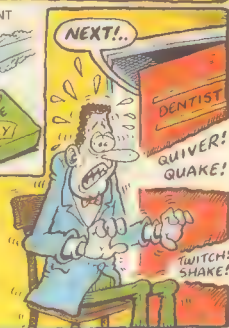


5 WHAT WAS THE JITTERBUG

- A The name given to a South African insect which glows in the dark
- B A dance that was popular in the 1930 s
- C An old American term for someone who's very nervous - like Jelly

6 WHAT WAS S.R THOMAS BEECHAM FAMOUSE FOR

- A Inventing a special powder for hair relief
- B He discovered the North Pole
- C Music



COOL DUDS

Freezing point
Congratulations to
short of the top?
just one or two points
when you find you're
Don't you just hate it
4 5
village diet
countryside as a
waiting for you in the
there's a good job
You can rest assured
career prospects
should I attract your
A score like this
2 3
to get a score this low
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be the thickest person
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THE JITTERBUG

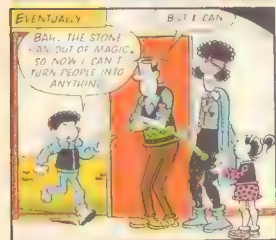
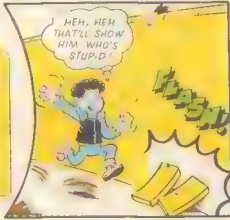
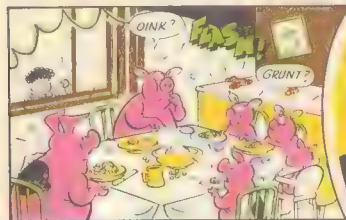
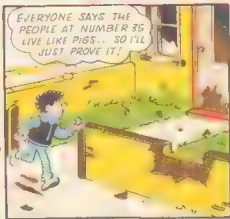
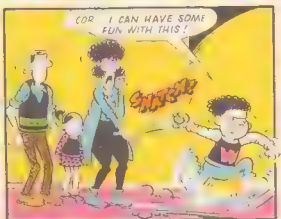
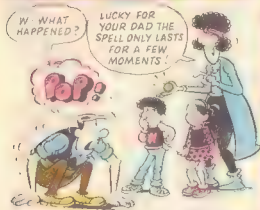
things like yer classical music)
to go up-market an' get into posh
suggested this question 'cos he wants
Philharmonic Orchestras (The Editor
Philharmonic, and the Royal
British National Opera, the London
6 C Sir Thomas Beecham founded the
and the Boogie-Woogie
adults who remember dancing the jitterbug
adults who might be reading this comic
5 B This one was for any old wrinkly
got Frank Whittle to thank
cockpit of a Harrier or an F16, you've
4 C Next time you climb into the
to go for a stroll
first man to walk on the Moon. Long way
3 C Astronaut Neil Armstrong was the
bet you drove a tank during the war
it. Think of all the jokes, like 'I
name was Goldfish. No wonder he changed
2 A It's true - the poor geezer's
How daft can you get?
answered A? Haw haw! We knew it
1 B Okay How many dumbos out there

TURN THE PAGE TO CHECK YOUR SCORE!..

Answers

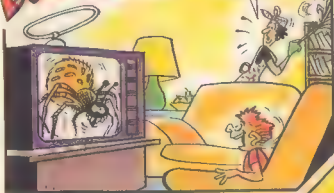


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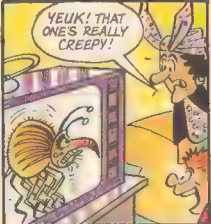


BUGGED!

DEAR ME,
LOOK AT THAT
HORRIBLE THING
ON THE TELLY!



YEUK! THAT
ONE'S REALLY
CREEPY!

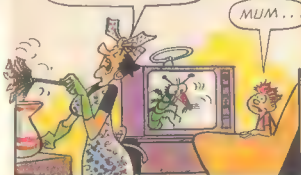


AND LOOK
AT THAT UGLY
HORROR!

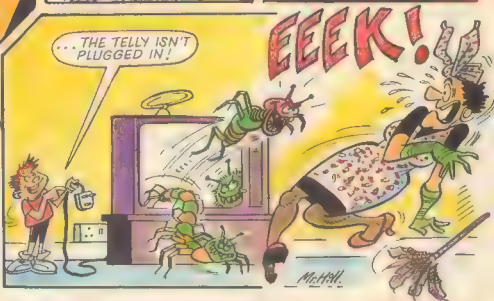


PHEW! I'M GLAD WE
DON'T HAVE ANYTHING
LIKE THAT OVER HERE!

MUM...



... THE TELLY ISN'T
PLUGGED IN!

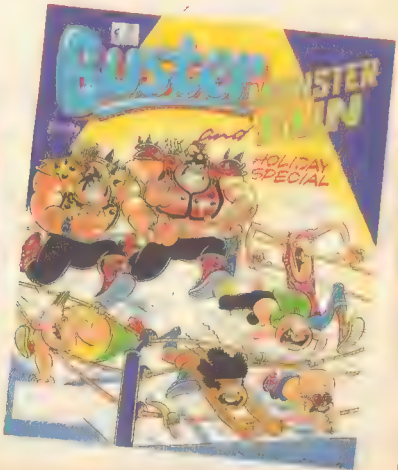


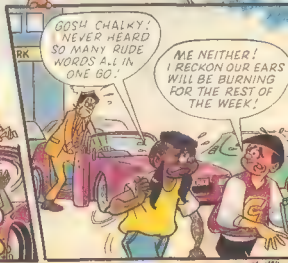
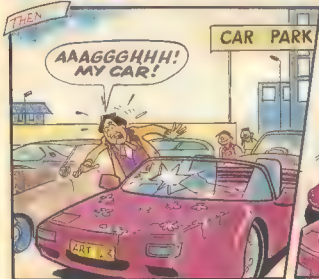
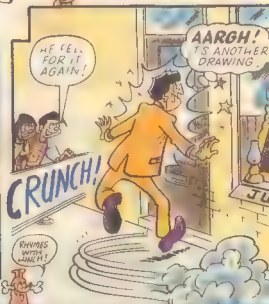
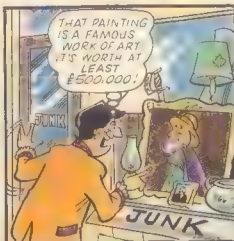
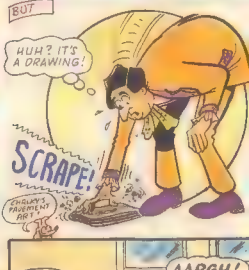
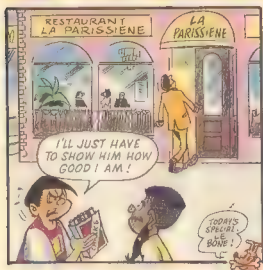
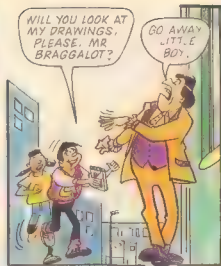
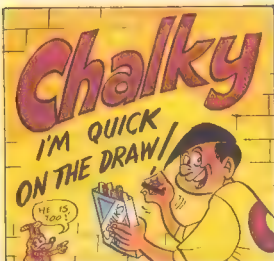
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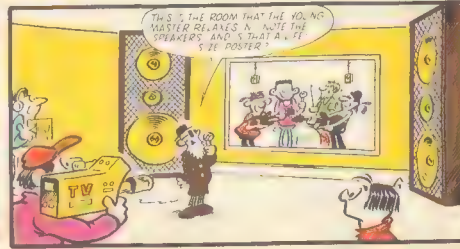
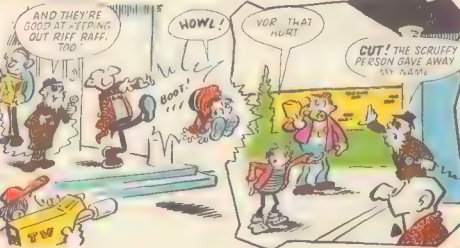
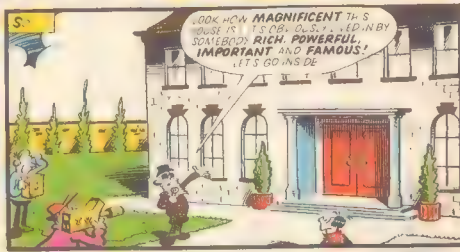
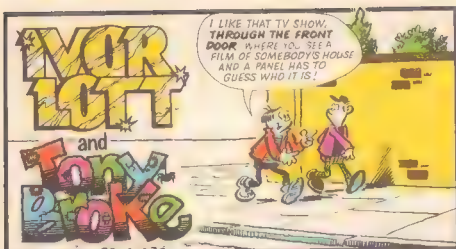
I WAS IN AN
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I READ IT...

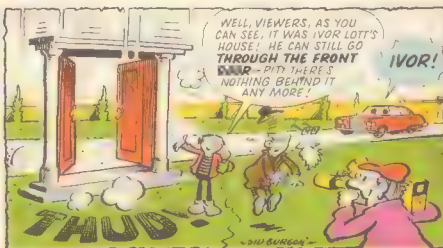
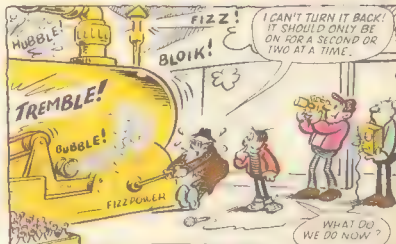
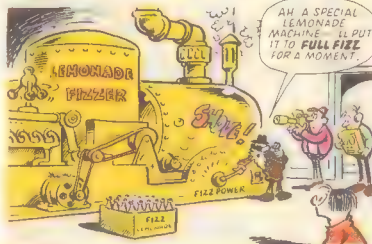
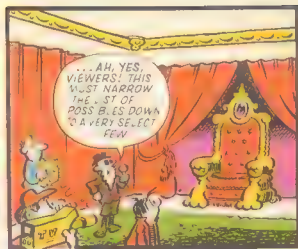


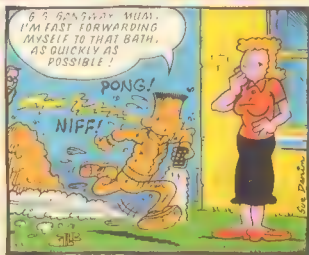
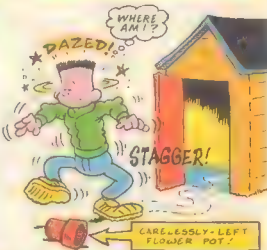
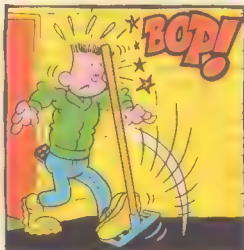
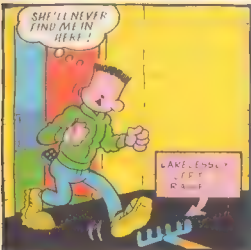
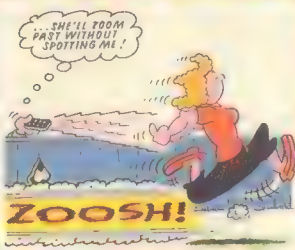
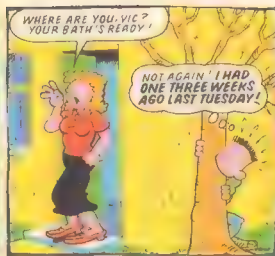
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Special! It's
got loads of
monster fun, lots
of laughs, and
colourful picture
strips featuring
your favourite
BUSTER
characters - old
and new...



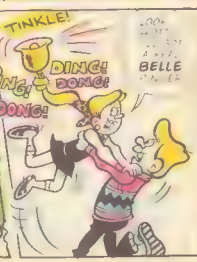
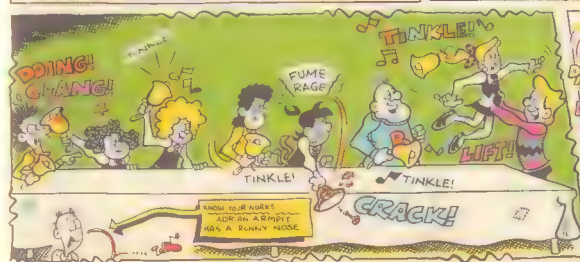
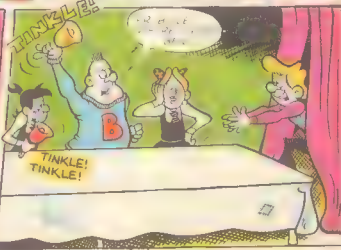
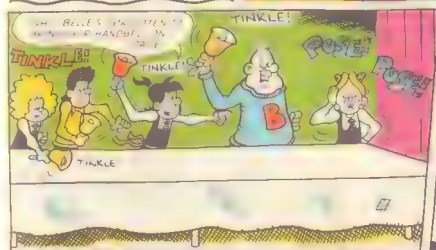
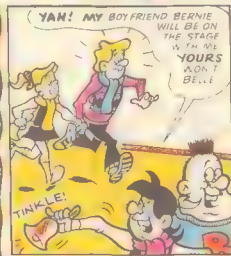


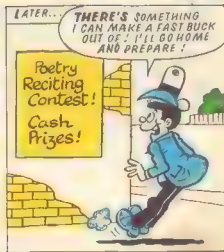
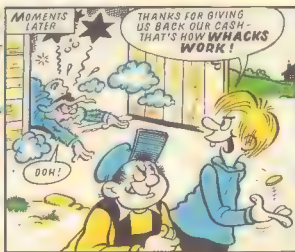
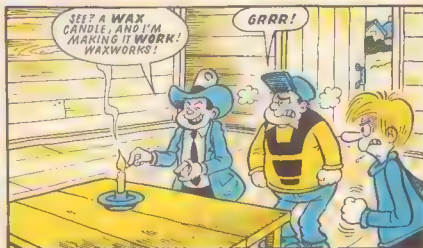
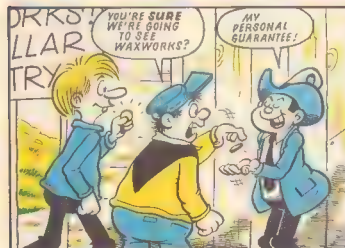
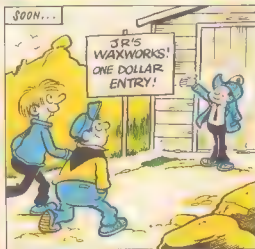
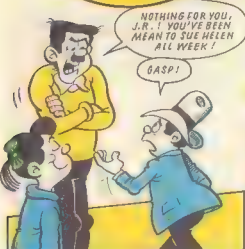
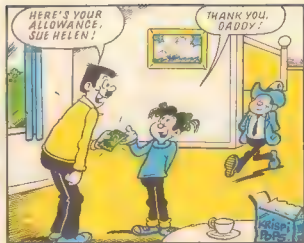
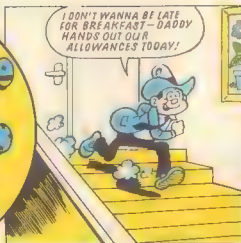






SCHOOL BELLE





SOME ADJUSTMENTS LATER...

I HOPE YOU DON'T MIND MY WEARING THIS SWEATER! ER... THE DENTIST SAID I WASN'T TO RISK A CHILL IN THE MOUTH!



THAT'S OKAY, SON! AS LONG AS WE CAN HEAR YOU!

Poetry Contest Inside



SO...

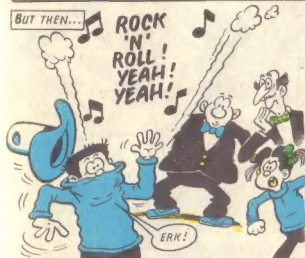
I WANDERED LONELY AS A CLOUD...



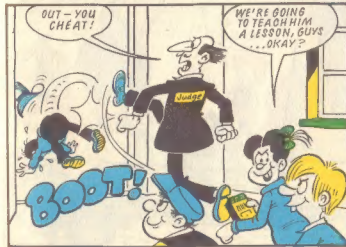
HE'S WORD PERFECT! DEFINITELY A WINNER!

BUT THEN...

ROCK N' ROLL! YEAH! YEAH!



SO! NO WONDER HE WANTED TO HIDE HIS MOUTH!



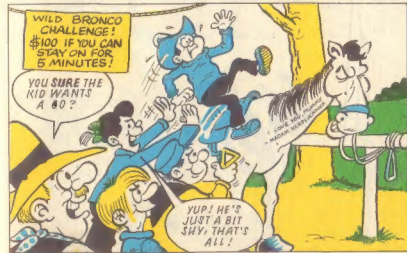
WE'RE GOING TO TEACH HIM A LESSON, GUYS... OKAY?

IF YOU WANT TO MAKE A FAST BUCK, WE'LL HELP YOU, J.R.!

I KNEW YOU'D SEE REASON! IT'S THE BEST WAY, I ALWAYS SAY...



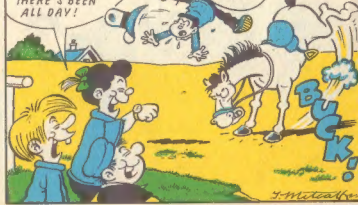
AAAGH!



YUP! HE'S JUST A BIT SHY, THAT'S ALL!

HALF A SECOND! HO, HO! THAT'S THE FASTEST BUCK THERE'S BEEN ALL DAY!

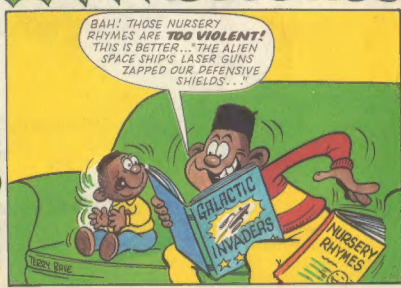
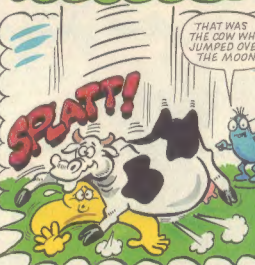
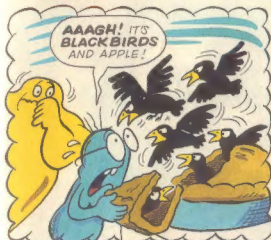
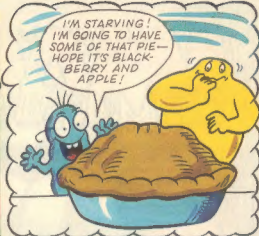
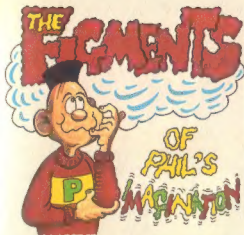
HOWL! I HATE SISTERS! WAIL!



J. Metcalfe

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